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WHAT'S UP FRONT
OUR COVER

LOOK—up in the sky!
It's a nerd!
It's a lame!
It's Sylvester!!
Well at least you'll believe
a man can hang from ropes!



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Dear CRACKED,

John Severin's cover for BATTLE-STAR GARLICTICA was brilliant! The detail was incredible; the colors just right. Severin truly has genius in his pen!!

Jeff Hooke
Glenville, Ill.

Dear Jeff,

Funny. We thought it was ink.



Dear CRACKED,

As a struggling young actor, I found your CRACKED HANDBOOK OF ACTING both entertaining and informative. From now on I plan to use this as my sole 'how-to' resource when trying to get a job. Thank you.

George Lowry
Knox City, Texas

Dear George,

No wonder you're a struggling young actor!



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GUILT

Dear CRACKED,

Is there a SYLVESTER P. SMYTHE FAN CLUB?

Diana Foster
Tucson, Ariz.

Editor's Note: See letter below.

Dear CRACKED,

Is there a CRACKED FAN CLUB?

Molly Brown,
Lansdale, Pa.

Editor's Note: See letter above.

Dear CRACKED,

Is CRACKED printed in any foreign languages?

Hester Huges
Honolulu, Hawaii

Dear Hester,

Yes—English. (Well, that's foreign if you live in South Swazi!)



Dear CRACKED,

Being that Jeopardy is back on the air, I thought I'd send you an answer to a riddle to see if you could come up with the question. Ready?—The CIA's favorite song.

Roger Guida
Utica, N.Y.

Dear Roger,

What is, "You're Just Too Good To Be True, Can't Take My Splees Off Of You."

Dear CRACKED,

The cover of your last issue stated that over 9 million readers hadn't read CRACKED yet. Is there any basis for this fact?

Kevin Adams
Mishawaka, Ind.

Dear Kevin,

Most definitely. The post office estimates that last month alone, we didn't receive over 9 million letters from non-readers all over the country.



Dear CRACKED,

I loved THE CRACKED LENS and MORE FROM THE CRACKED LENS and STILL MORE FROM THE CRACKED LENS and AND YET STILL MORE FROM THE CRACKED LENS, but what's really making me curious is what comes next?

Neil Bershad
Toronto, Canada

Dear Neil,

Stop wondering. Turn to page 20 and find out.



Dear CRACKED,

Every month I write criticizing your magazine in an effort to help you improve your product, but you constantly ignore me. When I wrote suggesting that you put your back cover on the front cover of your book, so more people would see it, you ignored me. So what gives? Should I or shouldn't I keep sending my advice?

Jimmy Smith
Pass-A-Grille, FL

Dear Jimmy,

By all means keep writing up your suggestions. Only, in the future, if you REALLY want to help CRACKED, send them to our competition!

Dear CRACKED,

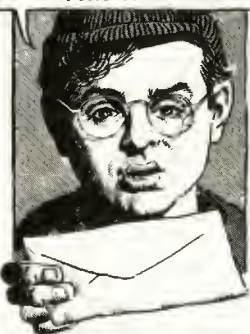
What makes you so funny?

Gary Cohen
Dix Hills, N.Y.

Dear Gary,

Probably the glasses with the fake nose and mustache that we wear in the office.

Mail call... Pierce... Honeycup
...Worcestershire... Colonel
Potted... that's it



Dear CRACKED,

Your M*U*S*H was great!

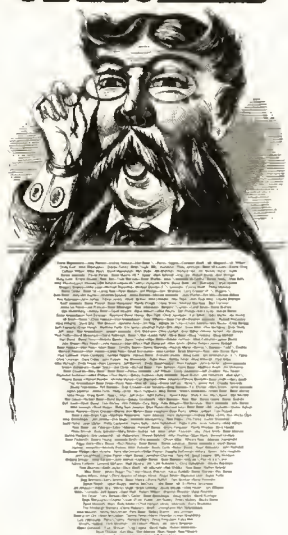
Bob Fremont
Racine, Wis.

Dear Bob,

That was nothing! Just wait 'til you try our juice and bacon!



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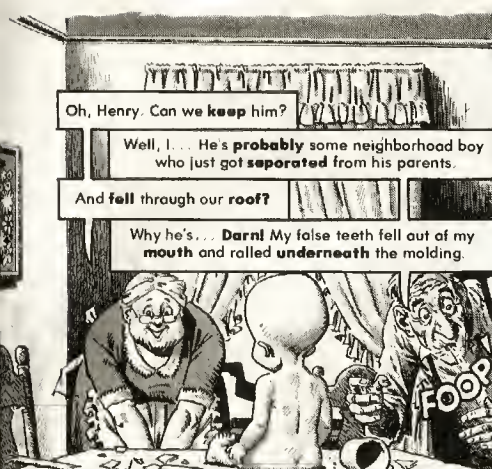
Long ago, somewhere in deep space, two inhabitants of the planet Clipton—Klong and Wheatola Gai Pan—were getting ready to dispose of their first born.



SUPED-UPMAN

The Satire



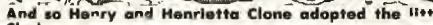


Oh, Henry. Can we **keep** him?

Well, I... He's **probably** some neighborhood boy who just got **separated** from his parents.

And fell through our **roof**?

Why he's... **Darn!** My false teeth fell out of my **mouth** and rolled **underneath** the molding.




And so **Henry** and **Henrietta** Clone adopted the **little** boy and named him **Cluck**. And as the years passed,

You know, **Pap**, it's been **tough** having these **super** powers and not being able to show them off.

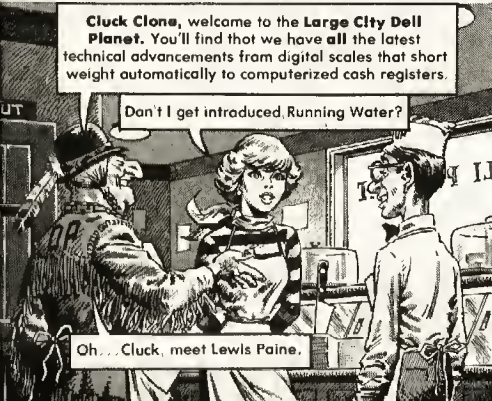
Well, we agreed to keep them **secret** for your protection. You see, I believe you were sent here for a **purpose** and **one** day that purpose will be revealed to you.

You're **right**. But I guess for now I'll just go on doing my daily chores. Shall I milk the cow after this?



Not last time you did, she was **sore** for a **month** from your grip.

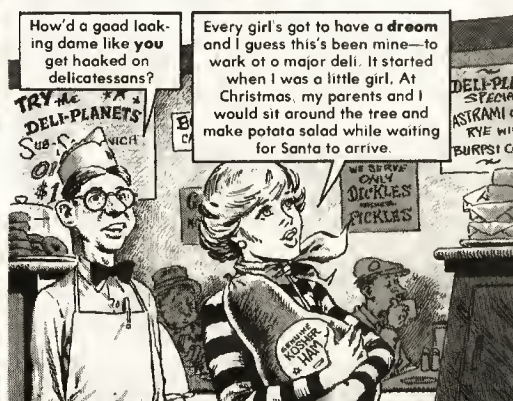
But **Cluck** was not to stay on the farm long and, at the tender age of 40, he left **Smellville** for the large city to join a great metropolitan delicatessen where he vowed to fight for truth, justice and **león** pastrami.



Cluck Clone, welcome to the **Large City Dell Planet**. You'll find that we have **all** the latest technical advancements from digital scales that short weight automatically to computerized cash registers.

Don't I get introduced, **Running Water**?

Oh... **Cluck**, meet **Lewis Paine**.



How'd a good looking dame like you get hacked on delicatessans?

Every girl's got to have a **dream** and I guess this's been mine—to work of a major deli. It started when I was a little girl. At Christmas, my parents and I would sit around the tree and make potato salad while waiting for Santa to arrive.

WE SERVE ONLY PICKLES AND PICKLES

DELI-PLAN SPECIAL ASTRAMI O RYE WITH BURRS! CO

But, that's the **past** and... hey!... I gotta get over to the eye doctor.

Is there something **wrong** with your pupils, Miss Poine?

Running Water, I need on olive loaf and jelly sandwich to go—and make it **quick!** There's a huge rhinestone robbery taking place over at the eye doctor's.

Oh, no. My father **saved** Dr. Spectacle's **life** in the war and as a courtesy he lets me read all the mazines in his writing room **free** of charge on Fridays between 11:15 and noon. See you all later.

Rhinestone robbery?!... Why **Lewis** is there! It looks like it's time for me to **reveal** myself to the world!

I'll be **right back**, Running Water. I have to go to the **bathroom**.

What's **wrong** with the **employee's rest room** here?

Oh my gosh! Lewis is in **trouble** and there's not a **phone booth** to be found! I'd better use my super brain and think of where I'm gonna change before it's too late... **Wow!** I've got it!!!

How many **pairs** of pants did you want to try on?

Just this one.

You're sure you have the right size?

Look lady, **please!** I'm kind of in a **hurry**.

I don't have a **dime**.

O. K. Dressing room **3** is **free**.

Let's go buddy—out into the **writing room**.

Oh **wow!** Dr. Spectacle is getting **ANT** and **ROACH** now, the only mazine recognized by exterminators around the world.

Don't you know those ore **dongeraus?**

What the...?

Hey! He **stole** our guns!

Stop the **shooting** copper, or the doc here gets it!

You're **bluffing!**

He's not!... **Help!... PLEASE!**

Dr. Spectacle! Is something **wrong?**

Just call me the **man of steel!**

Miss Poine, are you all right?

Mister, I'm **shat**. I think I'm gonna...

WILL YOU SHUT UP A MINUTE? DON'T YOU SEE I'M TRYING TO FIND OUT IF THE **LADY IS ALL RIGHT!! HOLD ONTO YOUR HORSES AND I'LL GET TO YOU IN A FEW MINUTES!!**



MEANWHILE, IN ANOTHER PART OF TOWN

Just read these stories. "**Large City should be free of crime forever, now that a new hero has emerged on the scene—Supedupman.**" Bass, maybe we should give up trying to pull off this diabolical plan of yours.

Never, McCann! **THE SHOE** doesn't quit—especially knowing that this hero is vulnerable.

Oh, Shoe. I love you. You're such a...



See you all tomorrow.

Right, Chief.



Lewis, now that we're alone, I'd like to ask you... I mean... I hope you won't take this the **wrong way**, but would you like to share a bite to eat with me tonight?... I mean, **not just a bite**. You can have as **many bites** as you want!

Sorry Cluck, but I'll be busy at the **dell** this evening...



I gotta make **Swiss cheese** for tamarrow.

Oh.



Hello everyone.

Evening Officer Oink. What'll it be?

How bout some white bread an rye with moyonnaise?



Calling Officer Oink. **Big beef baullion robbery** in progress at 10th and Market.

Good gray!

Ah, Swiss would you finish making Officer Oink's sandwich? I have to go to the **rest room** at the bus station.



You've got the **weakest kidneys** I've ever seen!



Now to make a quick change.

Weren't you here just 45 minutes ago trying on a pons suit?

I HATE TO PLAY SOLITAIRE ALONE!

Ah, yes... you see, I'm planning a big wardrobe change... Now if you don't mind!

Dressing room 7.



Police Help!

Could I be of some assistance?

Three men just robbed my store of over \$3.00 and 38¢ in baillon! They escaped in the helicopter up there.



Maxi, it's Supedupman! I think we're in trouble!

Relox. He's just standin' there.

Maybe. But he's standin' there haldin' our propeller!



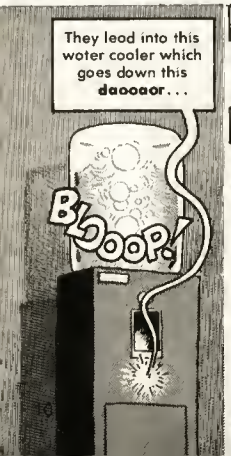
We're fallin' into the river below!



That's odd. The river is missing... all except this trail of drops. Perhaps if I followed them...

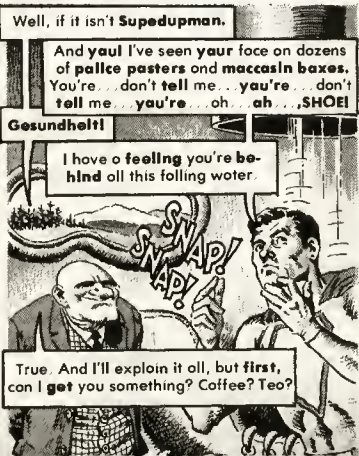
Supedupman, the city's on fire from that capter you caused to crash. Can you help us?

In o minute. First, I gotto fallaw these drops of water.



They lead into this water cooler which goes down this daooooor...

Bloop!



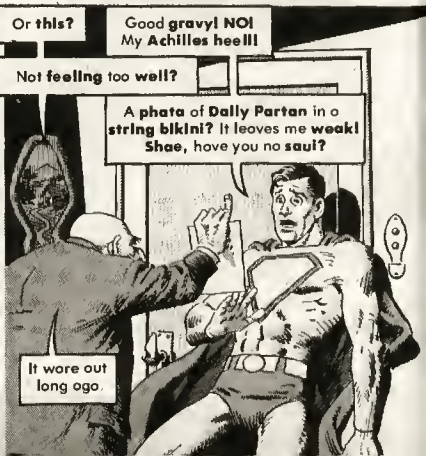
Well, if it isn't Supedupman.

And you! I've seen your face on dozens of police posters and maccasin boxes. You're... don't tell me... you're... don't tell me... you're... oh... ah... SHOEL

Gesundheit!

I have o feeling you're be-hind all this folling water.

True. And I'll explon it oll, but first, can I get you something? Coffee? Teo?



Or this?

Good gravy! NO! My Achilles heel!

Not feeling too well?

A phata of Dally Partan in o string bikini? It leaves me weak! Shae, have you no saui?

It wore out long ogo.

And now, while you fade away, I'll **prove** to you that the Shoe is no **loafer**—but is **really** your **arch enemy**. By tomorrow night I plan to have **all** the **world's water** in my possession, which I'll then sell for **\$600 a glass**. I'll send the world into **economic chaos**!

Here! Have a free sample, Suped. It's the **lost** water you'll **ever** see.

Don't leave me like this, Shoe—**please!**

What did you call me?

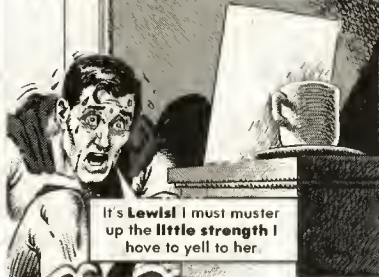
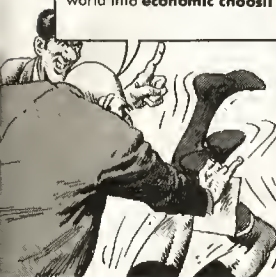
Shoe! Shoe!

All right, I will. Bye!

This looks like the **end**... I'm growing **weaker and weaker**... **Walt!**... What's the knocking?

Is anyone home? Mr. Shoe? I have the **tangue** you ordered from the **Dell Planet**.

It's **Lewis!** I must muster up the **little strength** I have to yell to her.



Supedupmon?!! What are you doing here?

Lewis—that **photo**—It's **lethal!** You must do something with it to save my life!

But what?

Draw a **shawl** and a pair of **foreador pants** on it. It's the **only way!**



I'm afraid it's not very **good**, being all I had to work with was **mustard** but...

Thank you, Lewis. Now to **find** where Shoe's **hidden** the world's **water supply**.

How about that **closet?**

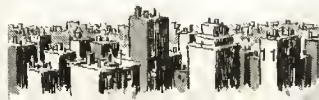
Of course! It's **lined** with **liver**—the **only thing** I can't **see through**. I'll just

That's **It!** Lewis! You found the **water!**

Help! I can't **swim!**

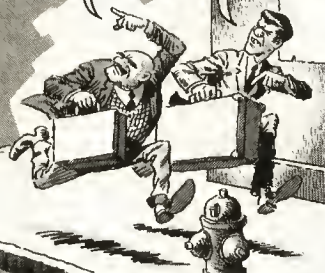
Fake It! I have to **nob** Shoe before he **escapes!**

Let's see. How would Shoe **travel?**... By **foot!** Of course!! And there he is!!



Quick McConn. Here comes Supedupman. Give him **everything** we've got!

Right! I'll **peit** him with these **wedgles** while you develop another picture of Dolly.



I'll **take** that negative Shoe and then **lace** you in until the **police** comes.

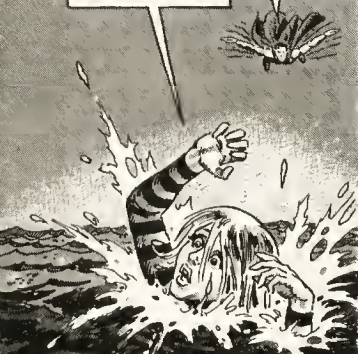
I **swear** to you, Supedupman **one day** we will **meet!**

I doubt it. I'm **booting** you and your **partner** Tom McCann out of the picture **once** and for **alliii** Now if you'll **excuse** me, I have to **save** Lewis.



Help! I'm going under for the **103rd** and **last** timell

Hang in there, Lewis!



You know, it would have been a **lot** easier to just **pluck** me from the **water**.

I know, but **this** was **flashier**.



You OK?

Sure. I only swallowed 20 gallons. So tell me, after performing your first few deeds, howe you figured out yet what your **purpose** here on earth is?

To fight for **truth** and **justice**.

What about the **American** way?

That's how I plan to spend my free time.



In the **American** way? How's that?

By **explating** myself for every **nickel** I can. **Get your T-shirts! Get your buttons!**

That flood you caused left water in my mother's living room.

No kidding. Why don't you buy her a **Supedupman** towel to mop it up with?



O.K.

He sure **catches** on to Earth's ways fast!

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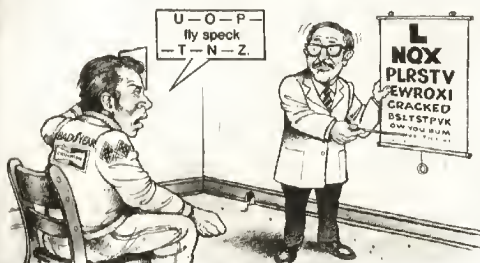
TH' END

CRACKED LOOKS AT RACING

RACE DRIVERS

CRACKED examines what it takes to be a top-notch race driver.

An ace driver must have **extra keen** eyesight.



An ace driver must always be looking for an edge.



An ace driver must be obsessed with coming in first at everything he does.



An ace driver must be versatile and able to handle anything that comes his way...

An ace driver must also have...

FORMULA 500's



WINNING HANDS



WINNING FEET



FORMULA JUNIORS



...AND A WINNING SMILE

FORMULA BOTTLES



RACING CARS

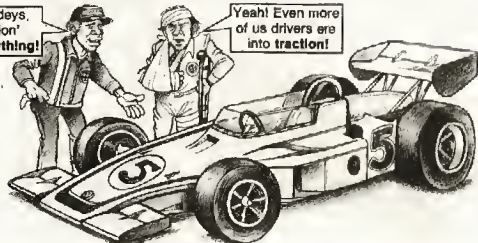
Yesterday's race car was notable for its very sound engine. . . you could always hear it knocking.



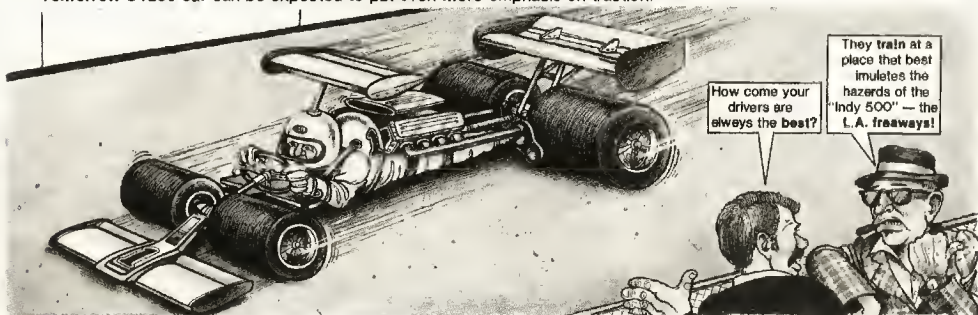
Today's race car, with its wide wheels and wings, emphasizes traction.

Nowadays, 'traction' is everything!

Yeah! Even more of us drivers are into traction!



Tomorrow's race car can be expected to put even more emphasis on traction.



How come your drivers are always the best?

They train at a place that best imitates the hazards of the "Indy 500" — the L.A. freeways!

RACE MECHANICS AND PIT CREWS

The ideal mechanic is more fascinated by a four-wheeled chassis than a two-legged one.



The ideal mechanic must have a thirteen hour watch for working 26 hours a day.



The ideal pit crew must work in lightning-fast fashion. Pit man at lower left has the most important job of all. . . he pastes on decals of last-minute sponsors.



THE RACE

Unsure of their cars, early racers carried plenty of spares.



Victory in early races was decided by driver's skill, car's performance... and mainly, by which entry had the best uphill pushers.



A vital element in today's racing is the pit stop messages flashed to drivers.



Racing accidents are not the most common injuries drivers suffer... the most common are hernias they get from carrying off heavy trophies.

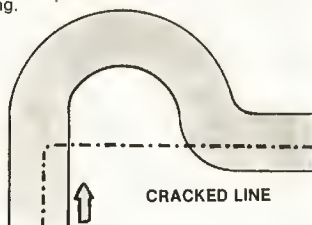
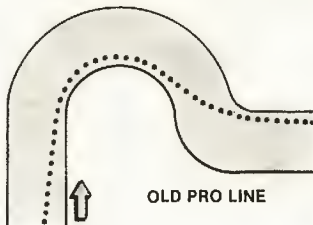
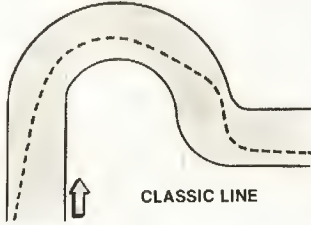


Students of racing believe victory is determined by the line a car takes on turns.

This line favors taking shortest path in and out of curves.

This line favors taking oil-free outside areas of roads.

This line favors taking sneaky shortcuts when race officials aren't looking.

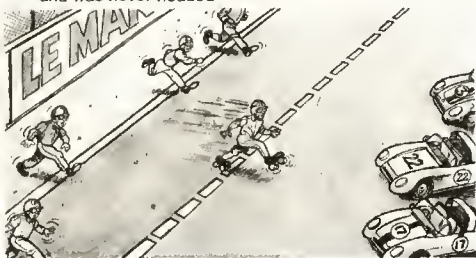


CRACKED's tip to fledgling drivers: In order to acquire confidence, beginners should seek out the kind of races they can be reasonably sure of winning.



Hugh Camm took an early lead at a race in Le Mans and was never headed

... unfortunately, he was disqualified for jumping into the wrong car.



Veteran track official, J.T. Clocker misplaced his checkered flag as a race was coming to an end ...

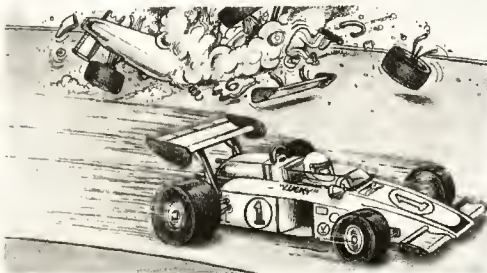
... with scarcely any time left ...

he still managed to save the day!



Lucky Turbo narrowly escaped injury a dozen times in winning last year's grueling "Camden 500".

Unfortunately, Lucky Turbo wasn't able to survive the race's grueling victory party.



Because of racing's high costs, Harry Gasket searched everywhere for someone to take over sponsorship of his car.

... and finally succeeded in getting someone—Uncle Sam.



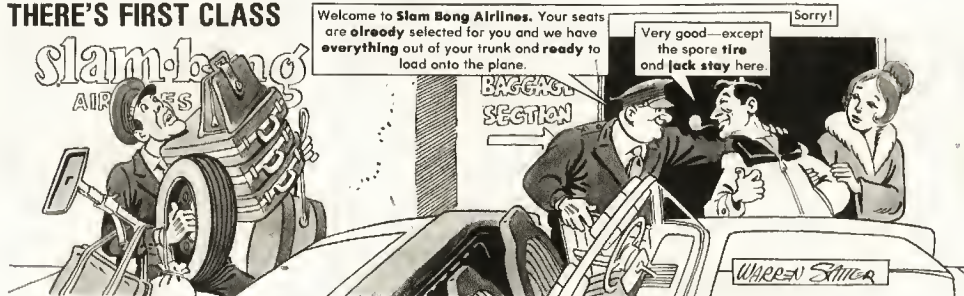
A CRACKED EXPLANATION OF THE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE NEW FIRST CLASS, REGULAR AND ECONOMY AIRLINE FARES

(Or... with a title like that, who NEEDS an introduction)

CHECKING IN

The first thing you will notice about the new 3-tier fare system, is that upon your arrival at the airport, each fare now has It's own check-in area.

THERE'S FIRST CLASS



REGULAR



AND ECONOMY



NEW SEATS

Once on board, you'll find that each section has newly designed seats.

FIRST CLASS



REGULAR



ECONOMY



BEVERAGE SERVICE FIRST CLASS



REGULAR



ECONOMY



ENTERTAINMENT

With the new fares, people who go First Class get...

Thank you. That was Bob Spuds and his musical mashed potatoes!



While REGULAR gets...

THE TALKING BLOB in 'My Fair Lady'

I asked you to say A, E, I, O, U — not "gulp!"



And ECONOMY gets...



FOOD

In First Class, the passengers feast on gourmet specialties served ANYTIME they want. . .

Ah, Roast suckling pig with a flaming dessert.



While Regular coach gets an IMITATION of the First Class meal MIDWAY through the flight.

That's pork chops, but what's THAT??

A flaming nopkin.



And Economy gets a meal made ESPECIALLY for them, but served ONLY AFTER everyone else has eaten.

Thank you for flying Lucky Airlines. Here's your economy meal—it's just like mom used to make.

She's not kidding—a ham sandwich, leftover party cake and potato salad wrapped in Saran Wrap.



RESTROOMS

First Class and Regular use the same facilities, but with one MINOR hitch.

We have a First Class passenger who wants to use the lavatory. Come out immediately.

But I'm not done, mo'am.

I'm sorry sir, you know the rules!



While in ECONOMY . . .

Just where is the economy rest room?



LANDING FIRST CLASS

How lovely! They wheel your seat from the plane right over to the luggage area.

Backstage!



REGULAR

Back! Back! Wait for the First Class passengers to get off first.



ECONOMY

Thanks for flying Airsick Airways. Miami is just below you.



LUGGAGE

And finally, what everyone considers the least pleasant task of all, takes on new misery for some as, yes, the airlines even change the procedure for getting one's luggage.

FIRST CLASS

Mo'am, your luggage is waiting for you by your car.

Thank you, young man.



REGULAR

Roger, I think I'm airsick.

O.K. We'll just get the bags and leave. Now watch for them as they go round and round and round . . .



ECONOMY

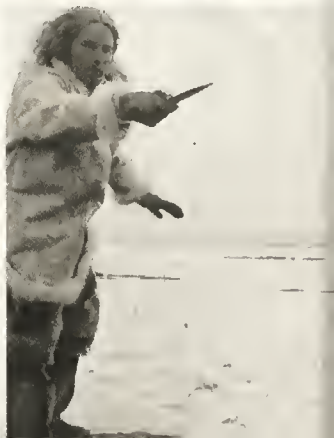
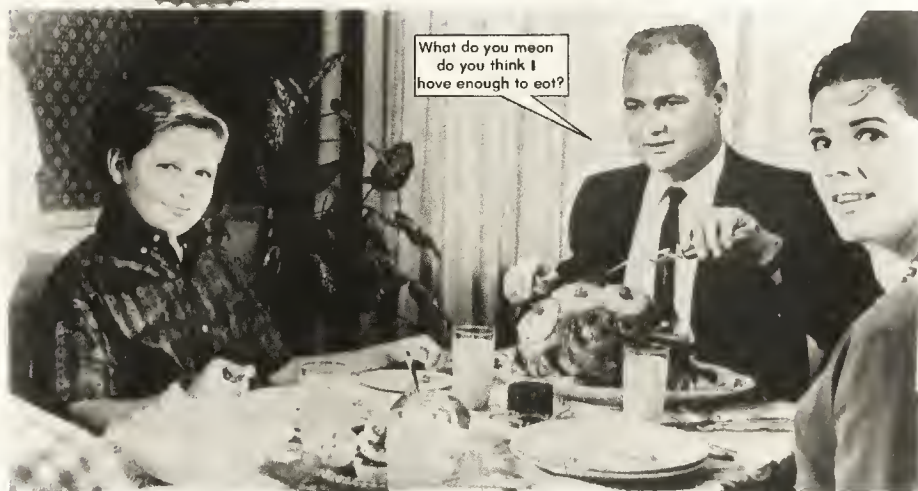
HENDERSON!!! I got one piece for Henderson!

Next time, I'm taking the bus!





THE CRACKED LENS





Am I hallucinating,
or did I just see a
cow jump over the
moon?



This is my dance
instructor?!

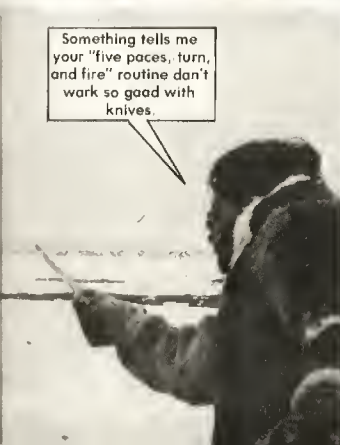


Excuse me,
do you have
eggs and bacon
on the menu?

We did, but I
just washed it
this morning.
Ho Ho Ho!



But I told you!
I already have
Rod Crew!



Something tells me
your "five paces, turn,
and fire" routine don't
work so good with
knives.



All right Gordon!
I give in! I'll
pay the check!

It seems that not a month goes by without hearing the phrase "Fastest Growing Sport." They say that about skiing, attach it to racketball and even associate it with the up and coming game of belly ball. Well, there just happens to be a "fastest growing sport", however, it's really been one that's been around for years. But enough toying with you. Instead, let's get down to basics with our

CRACKED GUIDE TO ROLLER SKATING

Roller skating is said to have begun in 1851 during a rock slide in the Sierra Nevada.

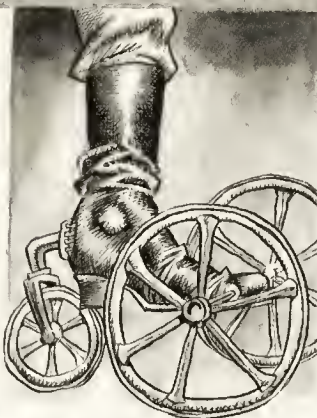
Thurston Oinker, while trying to avoid being crushed to death by the tumbling rocks, found great pleasure in "akating" over them.



Years passed, one afternoon after returning from Hawaii, Thurston tried attaching wheels to tiny surf boards and then (tired of ruining his shoes), tying the boards to his feet.



Knowing that rock slides were dangerous (as well as impractical), he tried to recreate the feeling by attaching wheels to his shoes.



Five years later, a clamp-on skate was developed, but not without it's problems. If the clamp were on too tight and the akete accidentally pulled off...



After ruining many shoes, Thurston smartened up and tried attaching the wheels onto a separate unit and then devising a simple way of attaching the unit to his shoe.

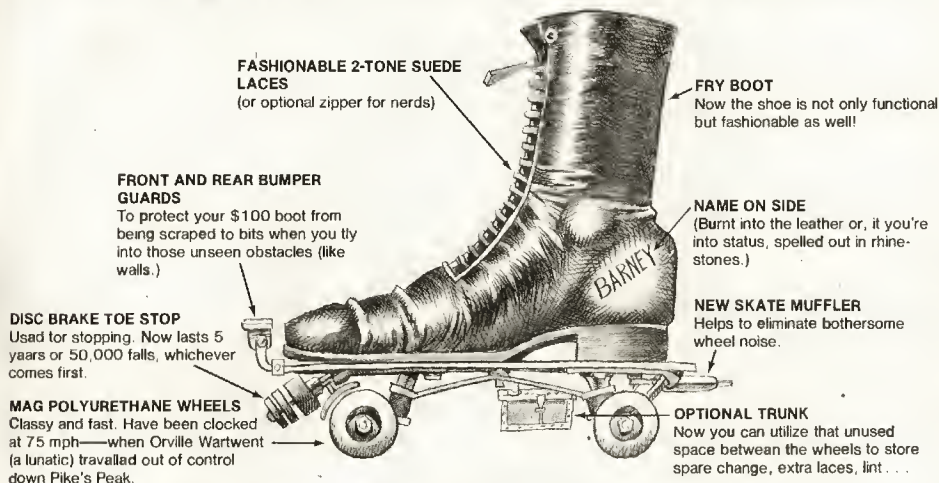


And then, finally, in 1922, Thurston developed the perfect roller skate. Totally satisfied, he produced 8 million of them. However, Thurston died a poor man due to the fact—



During the succaeding years, skating would catch on and then die out for ona reason or another—"The wheels are too noisy." "The skates are too slow." And so it remained until 1976 when someona had the bright lida of taking the same urethane wheels (that had helped bring the boom to skateboarding) and putting them on roller skates.

Today, the skata continues to be refined, with the newest model (pictured below) ready for release someime next spring.



So, where can you skate once you've bought this first-class piece of equipment?



Well, you can head for the streets, but this gets kind of dangerous.



Or, you can now go to some akateboard parks. But these too can be kind of hairy, being around all those mad boarders.

Or, you can go to an indoor roller rink. "But those are for nerds," you mutter. The old ones, yes...



But take a look at the new ones now opening up all around the country.

DISCO SKATING AREAS



LONG RUNWAYS (so you don't feel like you're skating in circles)

RAMPS FOR TRICK SKATING



COMPLETE HOSPITAL FACILITIES



OK, since this is a guide, let's talk about a few basic things.

LESSON ONE — Starting to Skate

A) Get into a T-position.



B) **NO, clone!** Form the letter 'T' with your body and feet.



No, you have to... **forget it!**
Go on to Lesson 2.

LESSON TWO — Stopping



That's some. But why not try the **correct way**—by dragging your foot and using the toe stop on the end of the skate.

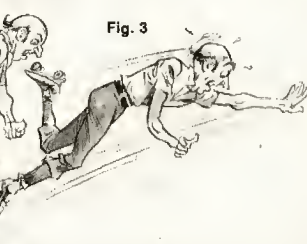
Fig. 1



Fig. 2



Fig. 3



Not bad, but next time don't do it so suddenly.

LESSON THREE — Falling

Inevitably, you will fall. And believe it or not, there is a proper way.

Fig. 1

Don't try to break a fall by extending your hands. It can be dangerous. Instead, practice this simple technique perfected by CRACKED.



Fig. 2

You lose balance. Quickly reach into pocket.



Fig. 3

Immediately blow up portable air mattress.



Fig. 4

And fall.



LESSON FOUR — Getting Up



The best way is to grab hold of something.



LESSON FIVE — Turning or Changing Direction

Step 1
Stop and extend arm.



Step 2
Wait for passing skater.



Step 3
If direction is wrong, try again.



And once you have the basics down, you'll find that skating is not only fun, but it can also be used in almost every daily work chore.

Around the house...

... on the job.

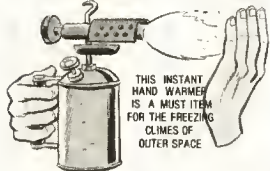
And, if you really, REALLY, become proficient, then you might be able to participate in skating's most enviable and glamorous activity...

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LIDNEMEN
CUSTOMERS
ARE VERY FUSSY
ABOUT THE
APPEARANCE OF
THEIR MANES AND TAILS
FOR THIS REASON, WE REQUIRE ALL
OUR STYLISTS TO BE PROFICIENT IN
CUTTING, SHAMPOOING AND KUNG
FU-ING

THE MAIN MANE
AT THE SIMBA HILTDN

JOB JIBE SECTION

Sociologists say the best way to study contemporary life is to examine the Classified Section.

THE CLASSIFIED A

BOUNCER

SPACE DISCO WANTS
AN AGGRESSIVE
12DD L.B. RHINO-
MAN TO KEEP
OUR ROWDY
CUSTOMERS IN
LINE. THE RIGHT
JOB FOR SOME-
ONE WHO LIKES
TO THROW HIS
WEIGHT AROUND.

APPLY AT SLIPPED DISCO

JUST ONE LIGHT YEAR AWAY FROM ALPHA CENTAURUS



* DRIVER *

ROCKET BUS DRIVER NEEDED TO
TRANSPORT BOB HOPE AND HIS CARA-
VAN OF STARS AS THEY ENTERTAIN
LONELY G.I.'S ENGAGED IN DISTANT
PLANETARY WARS.

GUARDS

MUSEUM NEEDS SDBER, DEPENDABLE
TYPES TO GUARD EARTH'S MOST
PRECIOUS KEEPSAKES—THE LAST RE-
MAINING SPECIMENS OF UNPOLLUTED
WATER AND AIR



**EARTH HERITAGE
MUSEUM**

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SPEAKING ROBOT TO
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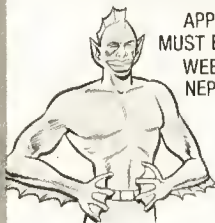


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NEPTUNIANS



MALIBU BEACH OFFERS THE RIGHT
APPLICANTS A REAL FISHY DEAL,
ie, ALL THE FRESH BASS AND HERRING
THEY CAN EAT

MESSENGER

APPLICANT MUST KNOW HIS/HER/ITS WAY AROUND THE NORTHERN CONSTELLATION

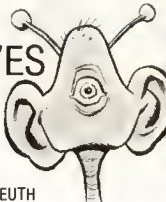


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FREE OF CHARGE
TO BE A SPACE SLEUTH

YOU NORKANS HAVE BUILT-IN X-RAY
VISION AND SUPER HEARING THAT
PERMIT YOU TO SNOOP WITHOUT USING
ILLEGAL BUGGING DEVICES

**AMOS SHAMUS
PRIVATE DETECTIVE AGENCY**

REFEREE



*APPLICANT MUST
BE THOROUGHLY
KNOWLEDGEABLE
ABOUT FOOTBALL
AND FEARLESS
ABOUT CALLING 'EM
AS HE SEES 'EM

*APPLICANT MUST ALSO BE A MALU-
SIAN WITH EYES IN THE BACK OF HIS
HEAD
**SEE DONNY BROOKS HEAD REFEREE
GALLACTIC FOOTBALL CLINIC**

Ergo, **CRACKED** says what better way to study tomorrow's space age than to take a glance at

DS OF THE FUTURE

OPTOMETRIST ASSISTANT

OUTER SPACE OPTICS FIRM
SEEKS ASSISTANT WHO IS
KNOWLEDGEABLE IN FITTING
GLASS FRAMES FOR ALL SORTS
OF EXTRATERRESTRIALS



ZYLIANS



EARTHLINGS



KRYPTONITES



MALUSIANS

OUTSTANDING JOB BENEFITS INCLUDE:
FREE WEEKEND USE OF OUR MOON
RETREAT FOR VACATIONS AND HANKY-
PANKY

FOR INTERVIEW CONTACT
**INTERPLANETARY
OPTIQUE BOUTIQUE**

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PSYCHOTHERAPIST FOR
DEMENTED ROBOTS



MUST BE ABLE TO DEAL WITH
THE FOLLOWING ROBOT AILMENTS

*OILCOHOLISM

*RUSTOPHOBIA

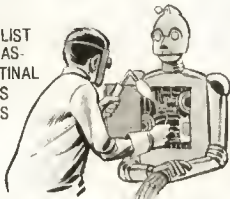
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*PARENTAL
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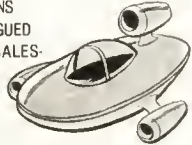
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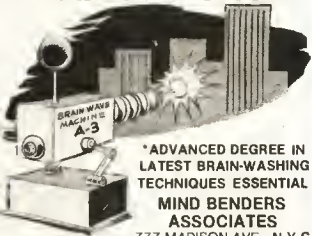
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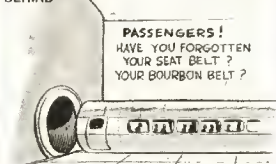
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*IS A TEMPERATURE OF 750 DEGREES NORMAL FOR A GZYXAN?



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seen you
somewhere
before?

Oh, gee!
I don't
know!
Tee hee!

Yes! You
and I were in
Brockelmeyer's
Hardware Store
together!

That's
right!
Brod!!

Oh
Peg!

kiss...
kiss...

Oh-oh!
Look
who's
coming!

Not ogoin,
I have such
o heedoche!

No!
STOP!
DON'T!

Help! Help!
Leave us
alone!!

Oh my
darling!

AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!

Oh well, 'tis better
to have loved and
lost than never
to have loved
ot all!

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AT THE BARBER SHOP

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY



BREAK GLASS

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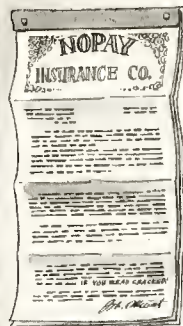
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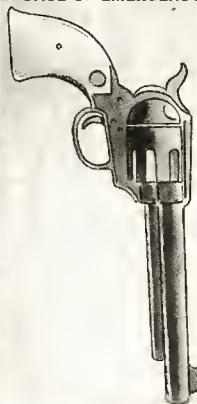
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AT A CAMPFIRE

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY



BREAK GLASS

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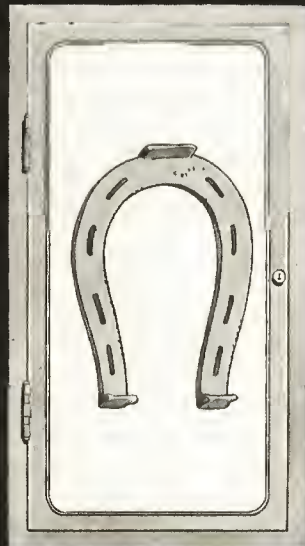
AT ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS



IN THE STAR'S DRESSING ROOM



IN THE BOXING RING



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IN THE GLASS FACTORY



If you've ever lived in a basement apartment... or gone to one of those modern school buildings where the windows don't open... but especially if you've ever trusted a weather report... you know what it's like to step outside in your tennis outfit and slide back in for your ice skates. So, as a public service to our readers, CRACKED offers these invaluable hints in

THE LAYMAN'S GUIDE TO HOT AND COLD WEATHER

YOU KNOW IT'S TOO HOT WHEN:



The Atlantic Ocean seems smaller than it used to be!

YOU KNOW IT'S TOO COLD WHEN:



The Abominable Snowman is pinch-hitting for Santa Claus this year!



You can fry an egg on the sidewalk — and it comes out overdone!



Your car is totaled by an icicle!

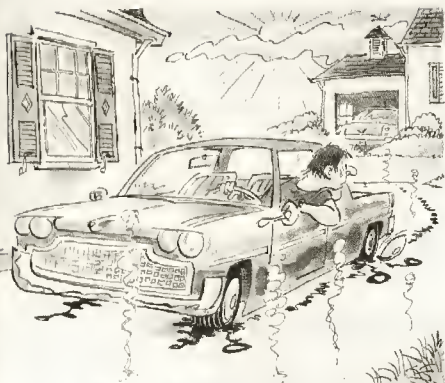


They let you into a fancy restaurant in shorts and bare feet!



Your contact lenses fog up when you come inside!

YOU KNOW IT'S TOO HOT WHEN:



Your car leaves rubber—while it's parked in the driveway!

YOU KNOW IT'S TOO COLD WHEN:



You don't have to worry about your fancy hair-do wilting until the Spring thaw!



Your refrigerator becomes the family den!



Your false teeth chatter—even when they're not in your mouth!

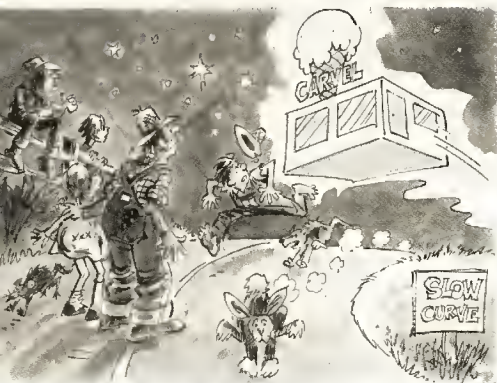


A tree DOES grow in Brooklyn!



You keep misplacing valuable papers in your clothing 33 layers!

YOU KNOW IT'S TOO HOT WHEN:



The number of UFO sightings goes down; and the number of Unidentified Ice-Cream Stand mirages go up!

YOU KNOW IT'S TOO COLD WHEN:



You take a trip to see Nlegara Falls—and it doesn't!



Your parents finally buy you a waterbed — and you sleep inside it!



You finally get to wear your first lipstick — whether or not you want to — because your mom ran out of Chepstick!



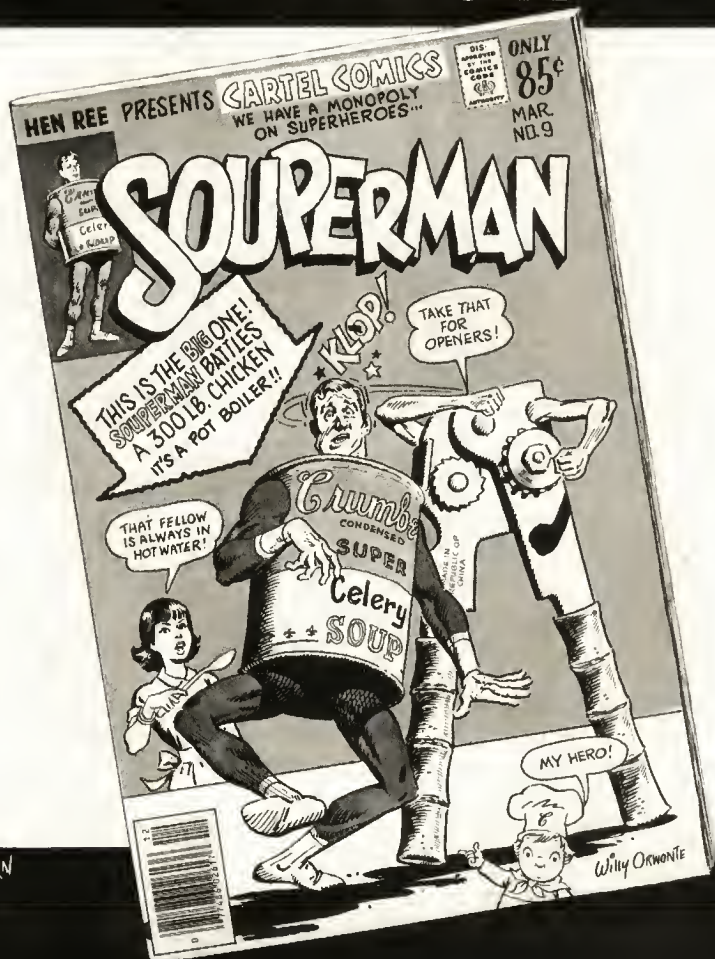
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IN OUR HEADS

THE BULK

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IONING THING IN
COMICS TODAY!

GOOD LORD! THAT MAN
IS TURNING INTO SOME
KIND OF GREEN SKINNED
MONSTER!!

THAT'S FUNNY!!
I THOUGHT HE
LOOKED BURRISH!!

HEY, MIKE! YOU
GOT THE BURR-GUN?



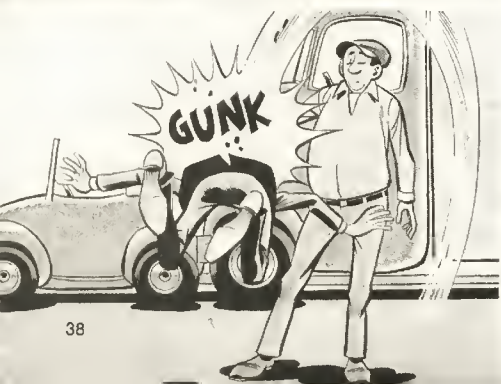
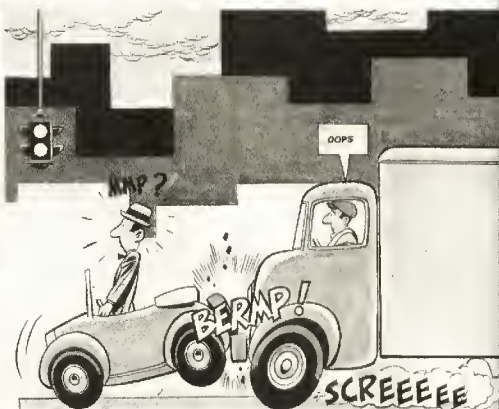
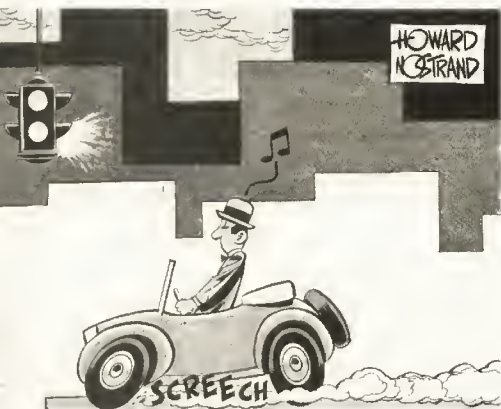
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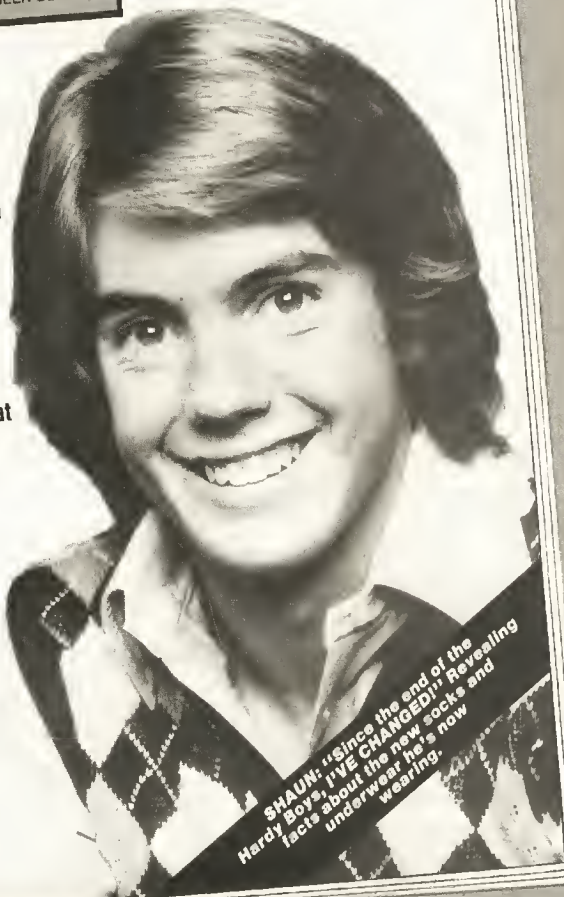


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waiting for is out!

LYIN' BEAT'S "SHAUN CASSIDY CLOSE-UP"

This is a brand new collection of photos never seen in any of our other 67 private photo albums before!! Over 4 original photos—including dozens of captions Shaun himself would have written (were it not for the fact we're putting this money-making book out without his consent.)

For the first time ever in "SHAUN CASSIDY CLOSE-UP," Shaun reveals:

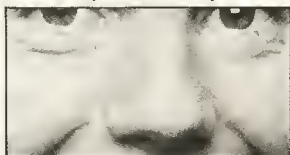
HIS ENTIRE EAR



AND WRITES: "This is my ear. I have another one on the other side of my head, but you'll have to wait for "Shaun Cassidy Close-Up: Vol. 2" to see it."

HIS NOSE

— the way you like it —
 up close and dry!



AND WRITES: "People say I have my brother David's nose, but it's not so. If you check David out, you'll see his is still right there where it belongs."

HIS LEFT EYE

— magnified 3 times.



AND WRITES: "This is my eye. Despite being in my superstar body, I use it for the same things common people do—like sleeping, watching TV and staring at my million dollar home."

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Hurry! I want to see Shaun's eye, ear, kneecep and belly button up close. Send me _____ copies of "SHAUN CASSIDY CLOSE-UP" at the ridiculous price of \$250—plus 25¢ for postage and handling and \$1.00 for soda so the person processing this can work up the saliva to seal my order closed.

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LYIN' VIEWS

Up-to-the-minute, honest facts
(and sort-of lies) about
your favorite stars.

BAY CITY ROLLERS SPECIAL TALENTS

Well, you've probably all seen the new BCR Saturday morning show, but LYIN' BEAT wondered how they came up with the format they did.

When putting the show together, producer Ivan Workinon-therrailroad, got each of the boys together to audition their special talents.

Each Roller was asked to sing, dance, act and eat a piece of cheese. Ivan was reported to be astounded at what he saw.

And that's why on Saturday morning, between 10 and 10:30, NBC runs a half-hour of blank space and calls it "Best of the Bay City Rollers."



PROBLEMS WITH DONNIE AND MARIE

Rumor has it that the reason Lassie was given the part of the dog in an upcoming Donny and Marie Show was not because of nepotism, but due to the fact he plays the part so well.

And speaking of "D & M", when asked about the sagging ratings of this year's show, Donny refused to say a word. But LYIN' BEAT is sure if he had answered our question he would have said, "True our ratings are sagging, but not as much as the bags beneath our mother's eyes!"



SHAUN CASSIDY NO LONGER A HARDY BOY!

We know—since we hadn't mentioned Shaun's name in nearly 1/8 of a page, you were probably all wondering, "Is he sick? Dead? Or even worse—married?" Well, relax.

Millions ask us how Shaun and Parker Stevenson used to get along on the set of the now departed (moment of silence) Hardy Boys series.

Says Parker, "Fine. Why I didn't even mind when fans asked, 'Are you on the show too?!'" or asked me to step to the side in every scene so I didn't block Shaun (even when it was supposed to be a close-up of me!)"

Parker says he loved Shaun like a brother and still doesn't know how the arsenic got in the tapioca pudding Shaun used to have every afternoon for a snack (that was made especially for him by Parker) or how that 10 foot rattler got into the trousers Parker had given Shaun for his 19 3/8's birthday.



QUICKIES

Fast rising top teen stars **THE BOGGLE BROTHERS** (first quadruplet act in rock) have become a blistering success. Last month, the boys sold out a 2-night stand in Furdy McFuddle's 31-seat barn in Toasted Toes, N.D. in just 3 months. . . .

SCOT BAIO, when spotted at a recent Frank Sinatra concert was heard to say, "Honest! My parents forced me to come or lose the use of my chauffeur for a whole month!" . . . **JOHN TRAVOLTA** did nothing of interest last week and we thought you'd all be dying to know that. . . **BEN BOGGLE**, keyboard player of the **LYIN' BEAT** backed act **THE BOGGLE BROTHERS**, has deals in the works with both "Leverne and Shirley" and "Happy Days." Yup, both shows are considering Ben's refuse collecting firm (that he works for part-time between concert engagements) as the shows' exclusive garbage pick-up service. Nice going Ben!





PETER CRISS'S DATING WOULDS AND WOULDN'TS



Is Peter the kind of boy your Mom and Dad would like to have as a son-in-law? Of course!

Do you often sit in your lanely, dark, horrible room wandering what it would be like to have a date with that super KISS super, superstar? Wondering things like "Would he go out with somebody as fat and ugly and down-trodden as warthless little me?" Well, your wandering days are over as that hunk of gorgeaus-ness tells you exactly what to expect.

ON YOUR FIRST DATE PETER...

WOULD WOULDN'T

SHOW UP	X
BRING YOUR OLD LADY CANDY	X
CALL YOU WORTHLESS CRUD WITHOUT GETTING TO KNOW YOU BETTER	X
BRING YOU FRESH FLOUR FOR YOUR HAIR	X
THROW A DRINK IN YOUR FACE <i>BEFORE</i> YOU GOT ON HIS NERVES	X
TAKE YOU TO AN EXQUISITE RESTAURANT AND WARM YOUR ROAST BEEF WITH HIS FIREY BREATH A LA GENE SIMMONS	X
FLIRT WITH OTHER GIRLS WHILE HE WAS STILL TORTURING YOU.	X
USE HIS FINGERS TO EAT <i>ONLY</i> HIS PEAS AND PIE JUST TO PLEASE YOU.	X
TALK MORE ABOUT GORGEOUS HIM THAN WORTHLESS YOU.	X
GET ALL DRESSED UP — BY PUTTING ON CLEAN PANTS AND <i>EVEN</i> A SHIRT.	No way!

WOULD WOULDN'T

FORCE <i>YOU</i> TO TASTE THE DEAD WORMS AND YOGURT HE HAD ORDERED FOR HIMSELF.	X
PUT 2" ELECTRICAL TAPE OVER YOUR MOUTH IF HE WERE BORED WITH THE CONVERSATION.	X
BRING YOU HOME AT 2 A.M. WHEN YOU SHOULD HAVE BEEN HOME AT MIDNIGHT TWO DAYS EARLIER.	X
RAM A CELERY STALK UP YOUR NOSE UNLESS HE REALLY FELT POSITIVE VIBES ABOUT YOU.	X
PUT ON <i>HIS</i> MAKE-UP AT THE DINNER TABLE.	X
ASK FOR A 'DOGGY BAG' AND THEN SAY, "IF ANYONE SHOULD HAVE THIS, IT'S YOU!"	X
CLEAN HIS EARS WITH HIS FORK WITHOUT FIRST ASKING, "DOES THIS BOTHER YOU, BLOATO?"	X
TAKE YOU HOME TO MEET HIS MOM, SISTER AND WIFE.	X

SCOTT:

Will His
Runaway
Smash Show
Be A Hit Or
(bite your tongue)
A Miss?



An in-depth look,
courtesy of LYIN' BEAT.

By the time you read this, Scott Baio's smash hit series, "Who's Watching The Kids" will probably be cancelled with all 6 filmed episodes burned so they won't contaminate any of the other tapes in storage at NBC.

"It's a great show," says Scott, "and it will probably do a lot for my career."

And we agree.

When we went over to the set of Scott's smash hit cancellation, you could see the network catering to his every whim.

Scott said he needed more room for the more than 60 fan letters he writes to himself praising his show every week. And to accommodate, NBC removed some of the furniture, Scott and all of his belongings out of his super dressing room.

And to help keep admiring fans from finding the luscious (slurp! slurp!) star, NBC removed Scott's name from his dressing room door and put up the pseudonym "UNOCCUPIED!"

Yes, Scott Baio, whose eyes are brown, hair is brown and face is red, is truly on his way — Next month, we'll tell you just where he's on his way to, in order to find work while resting between tapings of his smash hit failure.

COMING NEXT MONTH IN LYIN' BEAT



GENE SIMMONS gives 10 ways to cook roast beef.



PLUS

BARRY MANILOW: I didn't become this obnoxious overnight. It took years of practice.

BAY CITY ROLLERS:

All we want is enough money to buy Rumania for our gramps.

SHAUN — Yes, there are still things you don't know about him — like what the girl he marries should know about Tolstoy and bowling!

BOGGLE BROTHERS: How we remember our names.

**BOB —
bass
player**



**BIFF —
lead singer**



**LYIN' BEAT
CELEBRITY PIN UPS
FOR MARCH
THE SENSATIONAL
BOGGLE BROTHERS**

**BOON —
keyboards**



**SLEEZO —
tambourine
and coffee can**



Greetings everyone! I'm Nanny Dickering and I believe you all know my nephew Dickie. Soy hello Dickie.

Hella Dickie.

He's purposely doing this because he's toying with the idea of becoming a professional comedian instead of a reporter like his aunt. But nonetheless he's here because today we're driving over to the offices of an 11-year-old young man who's a certified genius...

Unlike athers of us who ore in this cor.

So be prepared to find yourself totally amazed as **CRACKED**

INTERVIEWS THE I.Q. KING



No, this isn't the offices of a 30-year-old corporate giant, but those of my guest Ian Quickwit. Greetings.

Take my wife, please.

Who's the growth?

HENRY YOUNGMAN'S FAVORITE JOKES

I don't know if my readers noticed, but your initials are I.Q.!

What does that stand for—Indiana Quicksand?

No, it stands for something your head seems to be devoid of—Intelligence Quotient!

IAN QUICKWIT'S LIFE IN PICTURES

I.Q.

Master Quickwit, can you remember what the first words were that you ever spoke?

"I'm here!"

You mean you said an intelligible word as soon as the doctor slapped you?

Well, I did take a second or two to look up the pronunciation in the dictionary I arrived with. After all, it was my first word.

Amazing.



What other **clues** did your mother have indicating your **intelligence**.

Well, at the age of **2 months** she used to prepare **alphabet soup** for me.

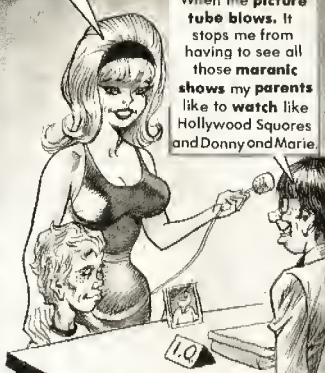
And even at that tender age, you were able to **gabble** it all down?

No, at that tender age, I'd **pull out** all the letters and **spell out** messages like, "This soup rots! How 'bout a good steak!"



I'm curious. What does an intelligent kid like yourself like **best** about TV?

When the picture tube **blows**. It stops me from having to see all those **maranic** shows my parents like to **watch** like Hollywood Squares and Donny and Marie.



You know, Donny and Marie's one of my **favorite** shows.

You probably get a **charge** out of **growing lettuce** in your sneakers too.

You'll have to excuse my nephew. He's **actually** extremely intelligent.

Really. He **hides** it very well.

Go ahead, **test** his knowledge.

All right. I'll ask him something he should be totally familiar with.



Dickie, what's a **maran**?

Isn't that what people think **scantily-clad** girls should have?

Dickie, **enough** jokes!

Can you tell us about your first year at school?

Well, kindergarten wasn't **exactly** a year for me.

How long was it before you were promoted?

About **20 minutes!**

I'm told when you reached the 8th grade, you had a **very** unique **science** project.

Oh, right! Is there room here for me to **flashback** on it?

Our artist, Bill Ward, is **quite** capable of doing **anything** you like.

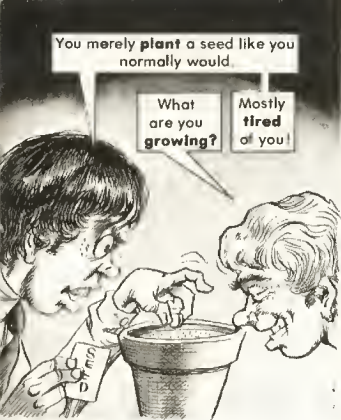
Good.

I haven't seen a **brain** like his since **10th grade** when I dissected a **pea**.

OH NO!







You merely plant a seed like you normally would.

What are you growing?

Mostly tired of you!



And then you **attach** the hook of my invention onto it...



...turn this handle...



And **yank** the grown plant right out.



That's **amazing**. How did you...

Well, I found out why a plant takes so long to grow

Is it because it doesn't know the way?

No because it's **shyl**!



And presently, you're president of a big corporation.

That's correct.

Exactly what does your company make?

Lots of **money!**

What are they, Aunt Nanny? —Yuk. Yuk. Counterfeiter!!



You know kid, I'm kind of **fed up** with all your **lausy** jokes.

So, what's a little **squirt** like you gonno do? You may have a bigger **I.Q.** than me, but I've got a bigger **flist**.

Gentlemen!!

Yeah, well, when you're a president of a company, you've got a **bigger pay check** and can afford to hire people like Bruno to fight for you. Turn around **big fists**.

And naw that the **kids** are out of the way, what do you say **Sweetie**, you and I go somewhere quiet.

You really think I'd go out with a **12-year-old**.

Like a **shot**.

Then I guess you're not as **intelligent** as I thought.



And this is Nanny Dickering saying "**GET YOUR CREEPY PAWS OFF ME, TWIRPI!**" until next time. Bye.

Aunt Nanny! Coll this big gorilla off and I'll forget about being a comedian. I swear.

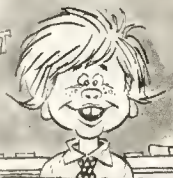


SHUT-UPS



Are there any other questions?

CAT
RAT



Shut-up with your show and tell presentation and just get that thing out of here!!

CAT
RAT

SQUEEK!



You sure ore lucky!
Why, do you realize...

Shut-up! If you tell me one more time how much this would cost me in civilian life, I'll bust you!!

HOUSE OF
MEDICINE
MD
PHYSICIAN
U.S. ARMY



Oh darn, I forgot to
leave o forwarding
oddress.

NO
BALL
PLAYING
ALLOWED
STATE PEN.

Shut-up and
run for it!!





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IMMEDIATELY**

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